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SUBJECT: SELA TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP MEETING

REF: PANAMA 5656

1. CURRENT MEETING OF SELA WORKING GROUP IN PANAMA HAS RECEIVED SCANT ATTENTION IN LOCAL PRESS. BRIEF ITEM IN TODAY'S PAPERS (SEPTEMBER 19) REPORTS THAT TWO SUBGROUPS HAVE BEEN CONSTITUTED TO CONTINUE WORK ON DRAFT SELA CHARTER AND ANOTHER, TO PROPOSE BUDGET AND APPORTION MEMBERS' DUES. MEMBER OF PANAMANIAN DELEGATION INFORMED EMBOFF THAT WORK THUS FAR HAS CENTERED ALMOST EXCLUSIVELY ON ATTEMPTS TO RECONCILE VIEWS ON CHARTER AND BUDGET QUESTIONS AND THAT CURRENT CLOSED-DOOR SESSIONS ARE NOW EXPECTED TO CONTINUE THROUGH SEPTEMBER 23. HE INDICATED THAT MINISTERIAL MEETING IS STILL SET FOR OCTOBER 15, PRESUMABLY TO INCLUDE FOREIGN MINISTERS. (SELA IS ADVERTISING IN LOCAL PAPER FOR ADDITIONAL STENOGRAPHERS AND TRANSLATORS WITH CONFERENCE EXPERIENCE.)

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2. COUNTRIES LISTED AS PARTICIPATING IN MEETING, BESIDES THOSE

INDICATED REFTTEL, NOW INCLUDE BOLIVIA, COSTA RICA, EL SALVADOR,
JAMAICA, AND NICARAGUA.

3. DEPARTMENT PLEASE PASS TO OTHER ARA POSTS AS DESIRED.
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